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**From:** Robert Daguillard  
**Sent:** Mon 8/17/2015 7:46:50 PM  
**Subject:** JIC Action; DDL Soonest; MSNBC; Allegation of fine threats

This ended up in my junk folders, as did many other e-mails going back to Tuesday. Sorry about the late forward.

-----Original Message-----

From: Dokoupil, Tony (NBCUniversal) [mailto:Tony.Dokoupil@nbcuni.com]  
Sent: Sunday, August 16, 2015 10:48 PM  
To: Daguillard, Robert  
Subject: Msnbc -- time sensitive -- request for comment

Robert,  
I'm interviewing the owner of the Gold King Mine on my environmental show tomorrow. I'll also likely write a text piece. The owner claims that the EPA coerced him into providing access to the mine by threatening fines. Is that true?  
Tony